

STATE OF IOWA
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
UTILITIES BOARD

IN RE: ADELPHIA BUSINESS SOLUTIONS OPERATIONS, INC.	DOCKET NOS. TF-00-108 TF-00-109 (TCU-00-5)
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ORDER APPROVING TARIFFS AND ISSUING CERTIFICATE

(Issued September 18, 2000)

On February 8, 2000, Adelphia Business Solutions Operations, Inc. (Adelphia), filed an application for issuance of a certificate of public convenience and necessity, pursuant to Iowa Code § 476.29 (1999), to offer statewide competitive local exchange service in the service territories of Qwest Corporation, f/k/a U S West Communications, Inc., and Iowa Telecommunications Services, Inc., d/b/a Iowa Telecom, successor to GTE Midwest Incorporated. Adelphia stated that it would adopt the current maps of these two companies. The application was identified as Docket No. TCU-00-5.

On April 25, 2000, the Utilities Board (Board) issued an order approving the application and approving the adoption of the maps. In the order, the Board stated that a certificate would not be issued until Adelphia had filed proposed tariffs which reflected the prices, terms, and conditions of local exchange service and given notice of the tariffs to all affected local exchange carriers. Adelphia filed proposed tariffs on

May 8, 2000, and gave notice to all affected carriers. The tariffs were identified as TF-00-108 and TF-00-109.

The Board has reviewed the proposed tariffs and finds they substantially comply with the Board rules for local exchange service tariffs. The Board will approve the tariffs effective the date of this order and issue Adelphia a certificate of public convenience and necessity.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. The tariffs filed by Adelphia Business Solutions Operations, Inc., on May 8, 2000, are approved effective the date of this order.

2. A certificate, identified as Certificate No. 0222, is issued to Adelphia Business Solutions Operations, Inc., concurrent with this order.

UTILITIES BOARD

/s/ Allan T. Thoms

/s/ Susan J. Frye

ATTEST:

/s/ Raymond K. Vawter, Jr.
Executive Secretary

/s/ Diane Munns

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 18th day of September, 2000.